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Period F

**“Les 400 Coups”**

Antoine Doinel, is very misunderstood at home by his parents and picked on in school by his rude teacher. His mother is very hard on him and doesn’t seem to love him. His father shows a little more affection, but still not much. Antoine runs away a few times from both places with the help of his school friend. The boy finally quits school after being accused of plagiarism by his teacher. He steals a typewriter from his father and tries to sell it so he can have enough money to live on his own. When he can’t sell it, he tries to bring it back but I caught by a worker. The father angrily turns Antoine over to the police, who lock the boy up with other criminals. He is sent to an observation center and runs away from their too.